

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

MARIO DEVONNE WASHINGTON SR.,

Plaintiff,

vs.

KOREY GOPLIN, Deputy, #9177, Individual capacity and Official capacity; JEFFREY BROWN, Sgt., #4171, Individual capacity and Official capacity; DUSTIN CULLEN, Deputy, #9173, Individual capacity and Official capacity; and PAUL M. VRBKA, Sheriff, Individual capacity and Official capacity;

Defendants.

8:22CV316

ORDER

This matter is before the Court on its own motion. Plaintiff Mario Devonne Washington, Sr., filed with the Court a Complaint for Violation of Civil Rights (Non-Prisoner Complaint) on September 8, 2022. [Filing No. 1](#). Plaintiff has another pending civil case in this court—Case No. 8:22CV159—in which the Court ordered Plaintiff to file an amended complaint by September 22, 2022. See [Filing No. 7](#), Case No. 8:22CV159. Upon examination, the Court believes Plaintiff's pleading is more properly construed as an amended complaint intended for filing in Case No. 8:22CV159. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The Clerk of the Court is directed to close this case for statistical purposes.
2. The Clerk of the Court is directed to file Plaintiff's complaint, [Filing No. 1](#), as an amended complaint in case number 8:22CV159.

3. To avoid confusion in the future, any document Plaintiff sends to the Court for filing must include the correct case number.

Dated this 12th day of September, 2022.

BY THE COURT:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J F Bataillon". The signature is stylized with a large, circular initial "J" and a long, horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Joseph F. Bataillon
Senior United States District Judge